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Dear Madam:

This communication is in response to the Office Action mailed May 27, 2010.

Accordingly this response, submitted concurrently with a Request for Continued Examination, is timely filed by the due date of August 27, 2010.

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